

HAZARDOUS WASTE AND TAX POLICY TASK FORCE

2004 INTERIM STUDY PLAN

- Issues related to the proposed approval of B&C waste disposal including:
 - amount and source of B&C waste being produced and stored, trends, etc.
 - state regulation necessary and associated costs
 - nature of B&C waste (risks, radioactivity, etc.)
 - transportation issues (safety, costs, training, etc.)
 - economic impact (economic development, state image, etc.)
 - taxes, fees, and regulations at sites currently accepting B&C waste
 - role of interstate compacts and Utah's obligations under the current compact
 - presentation from Envirocare regarding its long term plans
 - other relevant issues
- Waste facility closure and post closure (radioactive and hazardous)
- Radioactive waste perpetual care (cost, ownership, etc.)
- Regulatory and legislative history of how the state has approved the disposal of waste in the state. The Legislature's, Governor's, and DEQ's authority and responsibility related to waste disposal.
- Additional public hearings